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Application granted.

VIA ECF

SO ORDERED:

Honorable William H. Pauley III United States District Judge Southern District of New York United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007

> Re: United States v. Nicholas Genovese, 18 Cr. 183 (WHP)

March 13, 2020

U.S.D.J.

Dear Judge Pauley:

I am retained counsel for Nicholas Genovese, the defendant in the above-entitled case, who was sentenced by your Honor on February 11, 2020.

Mr. Genovese has filed a CJA 23 affidavit, which demonstrates that is unable pay for my legal representation going forward. Mr. Genovese has also timely filed a notice of appeal and the Administrative Attorneys in the Second Circuit inform me that the granting of a motion by me to be relieved in the district court is the first step in Mr. Genovese being allowed to proceed in forma pauperis on appeal, including having the \$505 filing fee otherwise required for his notice of appeal waived.

Accordingly, I respectfully request that I be relieved as Mr. Genovese's counsel and that CJA counsel be appointed to continue his representation.

I thank your Honor for considering this request.

Respectfully submitted,

Alexander E. Eisemann

cc: Samson Enzer, Esq.
 (via ECF)